

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Magerl et al.

**Application No.:** 09/701,104

**Confirmation No.:** 6204

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For: COMPOSITE OF POLYMER OR  
CERAMIC MATERIALS AND  
COMPONENT MADE OF SUCH A  
COMPOSITE

Group: 1772

Examiner: Alicia Ann Chevalier

Our File: HAH-PT003

*(previously LUD-PT002)*

Date: March 28, 2008

**REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Sir:

This Reply is responsive to the final Office Action dated November 1, 2007 [Paper No. 20071029] and is submitted in conjunction with an appropriate petition for extension of time.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows: